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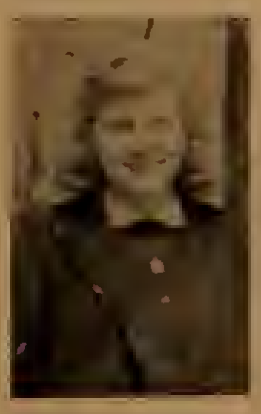
KNOW YOUR CANDIDATES

Athletic Association

The problem of the Athletic Association at Wellesley is not only to provide and organize voluntary sport activities, but tu persuade the members of the student body to participate in these activities and to make use of the excellent facilities that the college offers. To meet this problem A. A. must have a head of the organization who is a human dynamo as well as a good executive. Her dynamic quality will help her as she works with the Head of Publicity and Head of House Managers to keep the college aware of and interested in voluntary sports, tournaments, and demonstrations sponsored by A.A.

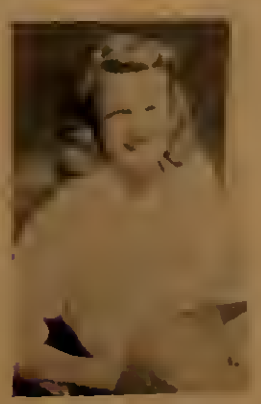
Sbc must havc a sense of responsibility which demands constant support from the Heads of sports; the ability to lead without dictating group meetings; and the team spirit which will enable her to cooperate with her board and the Hygiene Department.

To lead and organize, the Head of Athletic Association must believe in the purpose of the organization and be enthusiastic in her desire to have a greater number of Wellesley girls take part in the activities presented.



Becky Pfouts

A chem major, Becky has her work all lined up for after graduation. She'll return to a chemical rescarch lab where shc has puttered with elements and chemists and ideas during vacations. Her interests at Wellesley have included collaborating on the intricate blotter formations '45 displayed on May Day last year, participating in sports, especially hockey, Vil Junioring for the transfers, waiting on the Navy, heading chorus for Junior Show, relaxing at Z.A., and dissipating at Shafer's 9:30 feasts. Suggestions for next year include attempts to bring about greater cooperation between houses and C.G. through house presidents "by letting houses know more of what's going on in C.G. and making individuals feel they have a larger part in it.



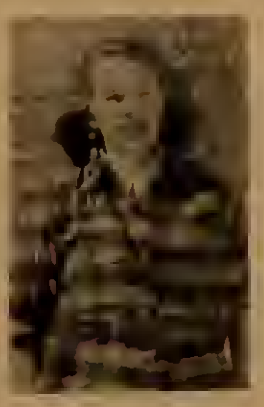
Lu Peterson

You've probably seen Lu on the hockey field, or the lacrosse field, or on the badminton, squash, or tennis court. A versatile athlete, Lu has also been active in other extra-curricular activities. Washington knows her as a Vil Junior.

A ready wit helped elect Lu receiver of the spade Freshman year, but measles intervened and put Lu in the infirmary, Tree Day. She finally got to Severance Green next year, as Giver of the Spade.

Lu would like to see A.A. arrange play-days with other schools. Getting Juniors and Seniors to come out for sports is another one of her objectives.

Interested in nursing, avlation, and designing clothes, she'll probably become a nurse after graduation and go overseas.



Anne Adams

True to her Minnesota background, Anne laughs at the cold weather and loves to ski. She also enjoys reading and swimming. As House Chairman of Homestead Freshman year, Anne demonstrated her ability to organize and to get along with people. She is a major in zoology.

Karol Musa

"I'd like to make A.A. more significant for every girl on campus, to show them what fun you can have in A.A." said Karol. Karol has been active in A.A. since Freshman year, becoming Junior Vice-President this year.

A five-year hygiene major, Karol is majoring in Psych, to be used in connection with Physical Education. She's not sure yet whether she wants to teach or do recreational work. Meanwhile, spare time just isn't—Karol's taking extra courses and spends most of her afternoons in labs.

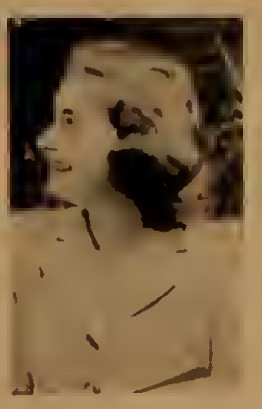
Music is her main hobby. A trombonist, Karol is now playing horn in the orchestra—"there aren't any trombone parts in those early things." Karol's also involved in Outing Club and waiting on the Navy.

Chairman of House

The Chairman of House Presidents' Council leads the upperclass House Presidents in weekly meetings, where they discuss general house problems, the administration of Gray Book regulations, short comings of the Gray Book, and other things as the occasion demands. She is the link between the Senate and student opinion as represented through the House Presidents.

Nominally in charge of domestic work in the houses, she presides over monthly meetings of the Heads of Work. At these meetins, common difficulties in schedules are discussed, and attempts are made towards uniformity in all the houses. Weekly conferences with the Dean of Residence are another part of the job.

Besides these specific duties the Chairman of House Presidents' Council is one of the four major college government officers, and she works with them to form policies. She has a seat in Senate, Cabinet, College Council, the Village Junior Selection Committee.



Cora Parce

Coky claims to be interested in everything, but particularly her time is spent writing soc papers, as all soc majors do. That's to prepare her for personnel work when she graduates. If the war is still in full swing, she might choose the Waves as an alternative. A new music-enthusiast, Coky is working on a young record collection which started with Rachmaninoff's 2nd not long ago. The victrola she plays the repertoire on was bought with money earned during the long winter vacation last year. Coky has been class president and vice-president and is now a Vil Junior.

Betty Appollonio

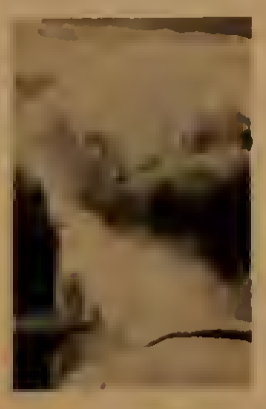
Apple applies her thoughts to math problems so that she can go into the technical end of radio after graduation. Her enjoyments around Wellesley include sleeping (which she'd rather do than eat), basketball at present ("Tower's going to win"), and working and being with people. When asked, she replied with a whimsical smile, "I wouldn't be any place else for the world, but there are a lot of improvements I could think of to make the Wellesley population happier together." "Why be conventional," she added, "when there are some good ideas at stake?"

Lucy Van Slyke Harter

Lucy holds sway as a comp major who has finally decided to finish college and raise army brats *after* receiving her B.A. When she isn't busy dreaming up a novel or banging off a paper in the four-desk study she shares with Chape, Bo, and Loney, Lucy gets herself busily involved in heading Junior Show, collecting pictures of B-26's (her present hobby), skating, swimming, and reading (anything but detective stories).

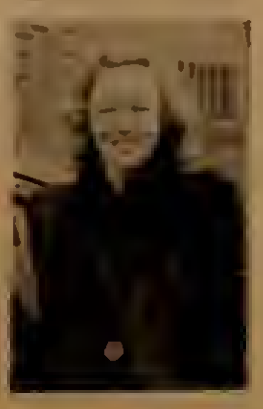
College Government

The President of College Government, with the other three senior College Government officers, Chief Justice, Chairman of House Presidents' Council, and Senior Vice-President, is entrusted with formulating and carrying out the policies of College Government. She works closely with members of the faculty and the Deans, especially the Dean of Students and the Dean of Residence. Equally, she must know the feeling of the students (all fellow members of C. G.) towards the many issues that arise. She is always available to talk over college problems with individual students; and decides, with the other senior officers, which issues shall be brought before the Senate (which makes College Government rules and controls the budgets.) the Cabinet (which coordinates the activities of the major organizations,) and the College Council (which seeks student opinion on matters of general concern.) She is responsible for planning these meetings and presiding at them. Other duties of the President are membership of the Court Committee, Appointments Committee, Village Junior Selection Committee, and ex-officio member of the Superior Court.



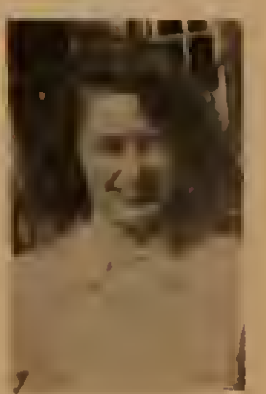
Marianne ("Bee") Moore

is also a comp major, lives in Shafer, is an ardent advocate of Winnie-the-Pooh, and most easily spotted by red-brown feather cut. Her sophomore year she was C. G. recorder of points, and is at present Tower Court's Vil Junior. Bee stands in general for the simplification of rules and red tape, with less emphasis on the technical details and more on the important issues.



Margaret ("Maggie") Brown

is a tall, blond Claflin comp major who transferred from Leland Stanford in her sophomore year. Her outside interests run to radio, television, acting and directing. While at Wellesley she has proved her executive ability to her classmates as the Director of a very successful Junior Show. Like both the other candidates, Maggie would like to know a great deal more about the inner workings of C. G. before making any statements about what she would like to change or which policies she approves of thoroughly. She is, however, in favor of the present system of numinations and elections, but would like to see some means devised by which Freshmen and Sophomores could know more of the candidates before voting.



Barbara Chapin

Bobby Chapin is tall, thin, low and husky-voiced, and wears men's shirts most of the time which are very becoming to her. Her hobby, major, vocation and avocation is music. She headed Junior Show's Music Committee and puts in a lot of time now playing and accompanying for Munger "coffee-evenings." Music gave right of way, however, to a factory job last summer. Bobby lives in Wellesley Hills, has a whimsical matter-of-factness, a quiet reserve, and a passion for Winnie-the-Pooh.

Forum President

A Forum President must have been bitten by the bug which brings with its sting an intense concern about public affairs. Her concern must be saturated with a vivid sense of her responsibility to infect her Board and the student body similarly. This of course means that she must have that mysterious quality, leadership, which brings to its possessor the ability to size up the implications of a situation, to come quickly but unerringly to a decision about those implications, and to act with the suggested modifications and with the final benediction of her Board in mind.

Leadership here in College goes further than this. As a member of the Cabinet, the Forum President must understand the position of her organization in relation to the College activities as a whole. She must be ready, willing and able to work intelligently with the other extra-curricular leaders, never pressing Forum's advantage should it be to the disadvantage of the whole.

Because the bulk of her routine duties centers around introducing lecturers, a Forum President must be at her ease before individuals and large groups. She must be able to deliver telling speeches and to conduct spirited question periods with *savoir faire*.

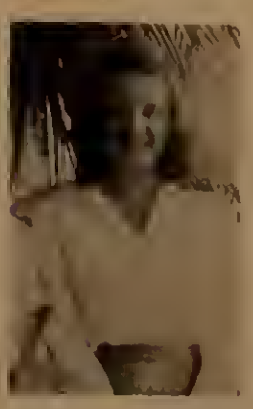
In other words, the perfect Forum President would be a fit mate for Superman! But all of our candidates have some of these attributes. It's up to you to decide who of them possesses the best combination of qualities Please, vote wisely.

Caroline ("Cahki") Hadley

was Chairman of the Freshman dance, vice-president of the Sophomore class, and is at present Vil Junior at Norumbega. She is slim, dark-haired, smiling, a devoted listener to Fred Waring, an Art major, and lives in Tower Court. If elected, she would like to make the honor system what she considers a real honor system, see that more people know the candidates for major offices, and that the college as a whole understands the function of C. G. in matters other than Graybook rules and suspensions.

Marguerite (Guitte) Tatum '45

Guitte, who divides her time between Vil Junioring at Eliot and participating in the renowned exploits of the famed Shafer basketball team, is a French major and has her heart set on doing reconstruction work in France after she graduates. Debating is the side of Forum which appeals to her most and she can chalk up a lot of experience to a summer factory job. You may remember her as the fluttery Madame Eex in "Nautical But Nice" but that role is not an indication of her usual self.



Laura Lou Bauer

An indefatigable bundle of energy, "Lou" has followed many interests during her college years. The choir loft, the crew shells, and the tennis courts have been among her favorite campus retreats. During her Sophomore year, Lou was the C. A. representative for Tower Court and served on the C. G. Committee on Committees. She now holds the positions of Treasurer of the Class of 1945 and Treasurer of the War Activities Committee.

Barbara Scott '45

Scotty managed to say very sleepily one morning at 8 a. m. that she vaguely remembered being a Political Science major and that she had spent a lot of time on Forum since Freshman year especially in debating of which she is now head. She expects to try her hand at government work after she graduates. Aside from these interests her main passion is sleeping which she promptly continued as soon as the reporter left her in peace.

Christian Association

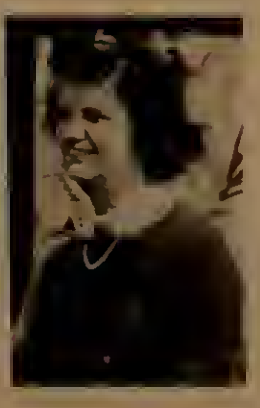
which should be the real guide to such an organization. Spiritual depth—being sometimes inarticulate—is hard to judge. Religious sensitivity, yes, and intellectual or theoretical knowledge of Christ, yes,—but is there direction and application? The life and the person can tell, better than appearance or phraseology.

What is required of a President in an organizational pattern? One person might say social poise in introducing speakers, leading board meetings, or expressing her own convictions. Another would mention approachability and openness to persons with diverse opinions. A third person would send forth a bevy of words such as "tact," "perspective," "sense of humor," etc. Perhaps three terms can make these more clear: a keen critical sense, integrity and imagination: a critical sense to bring into question all which has been believed and done before her; integrity that she may see the value of the best traditions; finally, a sensitive imagination so that, never being satisfied with what is (either in herself, on campus or in a world where men are being trained to kill) she may work for that which by God's will must be.

"The President of Christian Association" is a term which almost defines itself, (which in its very nature sets limits and yet opens fields of tremendous potentiality). The girl chosen for the office must be considered with a number of things in mind. In that she is *President*, she should be a leader with all the thoroughgoing sincerity, enthusiasm, and practical judgement which that implies. In that she is part of an *Association*, she should be one who can represent the group, one who respects and is respected by each member, one who is able not only to interpret her own ideas, but to open her ears understandingly to the ideas of others. In that it is a *Christian* Association, she must be a follower of something greater than herself. She must realize her own inadequacy. Christ is the leader, the power, the personality

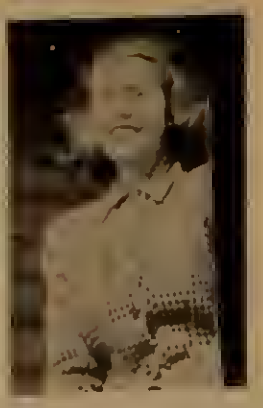
Julie Burnet

Is inseparable from her roomie, Bebe Reppert. This year she's Vil Junior for Dower; Freshman year she was House Chairman for Elms. Likes sailing and music—both kinds. Already she's a nurses' aid, her life ambition, to be a nurse, go to China in that capacity. There's something about a doctor, too.



Weezie North

She lives in Tower, is dark and vivacious. Is a Bible major yet has no 8:40's which she loves. Freshman year she was chairman of C. A. Freshman Council; Sophomore, class treasurer; this year, head of C. A. Reconstruction group. Studies with the radio on. Fills her time-chart up by writing letters to O. C. S. Summers and school year does a lot of social work.

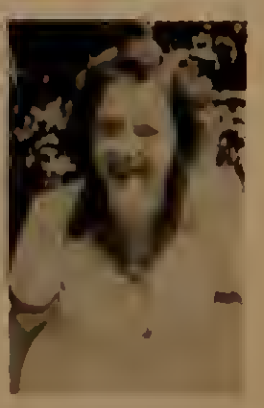


Louisa Hagner (Weza)

She's tall and drawls, Southern. Is very much the lady. Has two of her own oils on the wall — her little brother "just wouldn't sit still." She's a Vil Junior. Spends much time playing waitress on the Navy. Plans to do Reconstruction work with Red Cross after college.

Grace Morey

as a Service Fund Representative, has taken part in the "drive" her freshman year. This year most of her time is absorbed by her duties as Vil Junior of Elms. She has stroked '45 crews for three years, and found time to be a member of Choir in her freshman year. Better known to some as "Graki", she majors in Political Science.



Harriet Brown

is Vil Junior of Crofton this year, and a member of Superior Court. Last year she was Treasurer of her class, and a member of choir freshman year. She answers to the names "Hattie" or "Brownie", and majors in History.

Service Fund

The chief task of the Chairman of Service Fund is, of course, the organization and the running of of the drive in the fall. During the first month or so of school, she must see that every branch of the organization is well at work, and that this work is coordinated: the three allocating committees must plan the budget; the publicity committee must announce the purpose of the drive; the host of canvassers must be gotten under way. The special *News* publication must be orgnized. These weeks of preparation culminate in the drive itself, which has to be supervised closely. From then on, the work is largely that of taking care of emergency cases, keeping the college informed, and getting the unpaid pledges in.

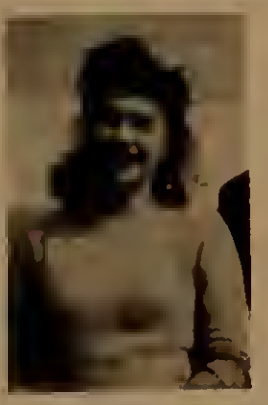
VOTE

AND IF YOU WANT TO KEEP ON VOTING—

BUY WAR BONDS

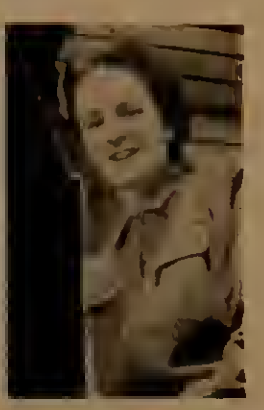
Chief Justice Of Superior Court

The Chief Justice heads the judicial side of College Government. It is her duty to explain and to interpret the Gray Book rules and College Government policies to anyone and, particularly, to those who violate them. She presides at both the District Courts—Freshman and Upperclass—and the Superior Court. The Freshman Court is composed of three or four Village Juniors and the other three senior College Government officers, President of College Government, Senior Vice-President and Chairman of House Presidents' Council. The Upperclass District Court is made up of three or four House Presidents and the other senior officers. These courts deal with minor infractions of the rules. The Superior Court is constituted of a representative from each class, the President of the College, and three faculty members. There is also a jury of a representative from each class and a faculty member and four ex-officio members, the three senior officers plus the Junior Vice-President. This court handles cases of major violations of the rules. Moreover, the Chief Justice heads the Court Committee, which has as its members the other senior officers. In addition to these specific duties, the Chief Justice works closely with the other senior officers in helping to formulate and carry out the policies of College Government. She has membership in the Senate, the Cabinet, the College Council, and the Village Junior Selection Committee.



Mary Virginia Reppert

Writing, preferably on a magazine staff, is her career ambition. Marrying a Navy Air Corps man (the June after she graduates) and music are sidelines for the moment while she's occupied with a comp. major. Bebe lives in Tower now, in Washington, D. C., when she's home where she has five sisters. She belongs to T. Z. E., loves all music from Basin Street Jazz to the Classics. Tall, handsome, brunette, she's famous for luxurious hair, blues singing (cf. Junior Show) and clear, collected thinking.



Carter Catlett

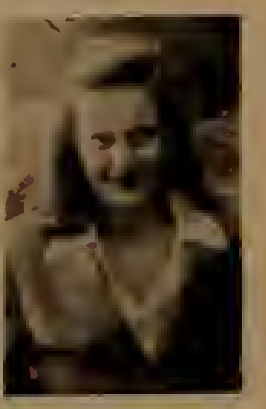
A perfect Virginia lady, gracious, dark-haired, fair-skinned like someone out of a book. In fact, Carter does come from Virginia—Gloucester County. Her interests range from a Political Science and History major to sociology. This summer she hopes to get a job doing social work just to see what it's like. In the meantime she likes reading politics and considers going into the government. She's known at Wellesley for a top notch job on Red Cross drives. Right now she is working on her pet blood-donor campaign and hopes the college will soon be playing an effective role in "Saving Lives."

Alice Meeker

is this year's Junior Chairman of Service Fund. Also active in C. A., she was in charge of the Doll committee for the Christmas Bazaar, and was the C. A. Representative from Tower her freshman year. For the past two years she has been a member of the Student Curriculum Committee, and was a member of Choir her freshman year. She is a Bible major.

War Activities

Her job is to co-ordinate all the work done on campus in connection with the war effort. With her committee heads she plans out just what activities are to be carried on, how they are to be organized and publicized and participated in by the college community. She works closely with the other college organizations wherever their activities are connected with the present war emergency. She must be on the alert for new opportunities and ways in which the whole college community can contribute their time and energy most effectively.



Barbara Whitmore

"Whit's" keen interest in current affairs has found expression in her choice of economics as a major and in her membership in Agora. Last year she was a war representative and this year claims the title of the Junior Chairman of the War Activities Committee. In this position, she has shown her executive ability. At the recent Honors' Day Chapel, Whit was named Durant scholar.

Alice Horton '45

Alice has found an outlet in Forum for many of her social and economic interests which include domestic affairs, national student organizations interested in current problems, and workers' education. Being a Political Science major and minoring in Economics, Alice has already put these to practical use in her vacation jobs. One of the most fascinating of these was her work with the Hudson Shore Labor School in New York where she assisted in classes for working people who were interested in continuing their education while at work. She has also worked for the Labor Education Service and the Municipal Civil Service in New York. She hopes to continue these activities after graduation.